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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Croze et al. :
Serial No. 09/912,252 : Group Art Unit 1636
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For **USE OF THE INTERFERON RECEPTOR 2c POLYPEPTIDE CHAIN TO
ENHANCE THE ANTI-GROWTH EFFECTS OF TYPE I INTERFERONS**

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AMENDMENT

This amendment is in response to the Office Action, mailed May 17, 2005, in which a three month period was set for response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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